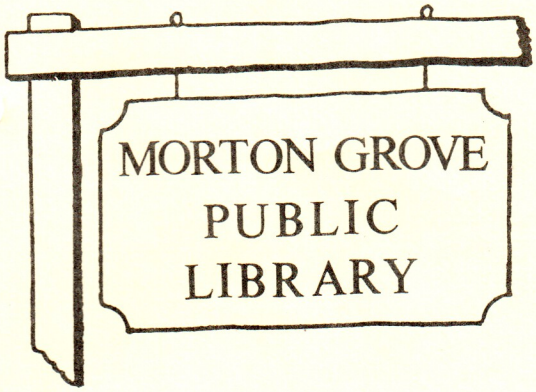

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BOOK REVIEWS

The colorful, adventurous life of the late Joy Adamson, author of "Born Free", will be revealed in a review of her autobiography, "The Searching Spirit" on Sunday, April 13 at 2:30 P.M. and Monday, April 14 at 7:30 P.M.

Barbara Todd, staff reviewer, will tell the astounding story of this talented Austrian girl who studied music, sculpture, and medicine in Vienna and then abandoned it all to try her fortunes in Africa.

A dedicated conservationist of African wildlife and the foremost painter of East African flowers and plants, Joy Adamson was a remarkable woman whose story is dramatic and inspiring.

Note: The date for this review is different from the date that was publicized on some library bookmarks.

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Erma Bombeck, former home-room mother and noted dieter, has written another hilarious book on how to pursue happiness, AUNT ERMA'S COPE BOOK. This masterpiece of rib-tickling humor will be reviewed by Barbara Todd on Monday, May 12 at 2:30 and 7:30 P.M. Since Sunday, May 11 is Mother's Day, the usual Sunday review will be given on Monday afternoon.

Erma gives invaluable information on how to become the most aggressive and the thinnest sub-total woman--with the aid of self-help books, of course! If any of you out there would like to follow in her footsteps, come and learn from America's one and only---Erma Bombeck!

HOME RULE DEBATE

The question of Home Rule in Morton Grove will be debated at the Morton Grove Public Library on Sunday, March 9 at 2 P.M. under the sponsorship of the League of Women Voters.

The speakers will be Martin Ashman, village attorney, and a member of the Committee to Retain Home Rule, and John Hilkin, former trustee and leader of the anti-home rule campaign.

This important issue will be decided by the voters in a referendum on March 18 and all residents of Morton Grove should have the facts on both sides before that time.

GENEALOGY SERIES

Awareness of the importance of close family ties and the need to learn of our roots are implanted more deeply into the lives of American families than ever before

On Wednesday, March 5 at 7:30 P.M., Barbara Garrison of Morton Grove will discuss "Beginning Genealogy", illustrating the basic methods of starting a family tree.

Stuart Freiler of Niles will brina his expertise to a lecture on"Introduction to Jewish Genealogy" on Wednesday, March 12 at 7:30 P.M.

"An Introduction to German Research", with emphasis on using a Mormon Branch Library, will be presented on Wednesday, March 19 at 7:30 P.M. by Carol Schiffman, owner of Genealogy Unlimited in Buffalo Grove.

We hope this series of lectures will provide some of the tools and research techniques needed to open the doors to the past.

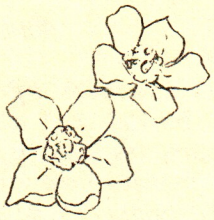
CHILDREN'S HIGHLIGHTS

The new Spring sessions of children's classes will begin on March 17 and registration will be held on Monday, March 3.

Library Playtime for 2½ Year Olds
Mar. 20 through May 8
Thurs.---10 A.M.
Class limit--10

Pre-School Story Hour
Mar. 18 through May 8
Tues. & Wed.--10 A.M. or 1 P.M.
Thurs. -- 7 P.M.
Class limit--30

Arts and Crafts
Weekly at 4 P.M.
Beginning:
Mon. Mar. 17 Gr. 4-6
Fri. Mar. 21 Gr. 1-3
Class limit--15



Creative Writing
Thursdays at 4 P.M.
Beginning:
Thurs. Mar. 20 Gr. 4-7
Class limit--20

CHILDREN'S FILM FESTIVAL
Saturdays at 2 P.M.

March 8---Ira Sleeps Over
The Cricket in Times Square
Hailey's Gift
Mandy's Grandmother
March 15--Bambi (Also 10 A.M. showing)
March 22--Gulliver's Travels
April 12--The Brementown Musicians
Ben and Me
P.J. and the President's Son
April 19--Freaky Friday
April 26--Hans Christian Andersen
May 10---Willie Wonka & the Chocolate Factory

LIBRARY CLOSINGS

The Library will be closed on Easter Sunday, April 6 and on Sunday, May 25 and Monday, May 26, Memorial Weekend.

WATCH FOR LUNCHTIME MOVIES BEGINNING ON TUESDAY, JUNE 3!!!

ADULT PROGRAM CALENDAR

MARCH		
Mon. 3	Make Today Count	7 P.M.
Wed. 5	Film-THE ASCENT OF MAN	2:30 P.M.
	Beginning Genealogy	7:30 P.M.
Sun. 9	Home Rule Debate	2 P.M.
Mon. 10	Mental Health Series THE YOUNG ADULT	7:30 P.M.
Tues. 11	Travelog-The Delta Queen	7:30 P.M.
Wed. 12	Film-THE ASCENT OF MAN	2:30 P.M.
	Jewish Genealogy	7:30 P.M.
Fri. 14	Book Discussion	10 A.M.
Mon. 17	Mental Health Series MYTHS OF MARRIAGE	7:30 P.M.
Wed. 19	Film-THE ASCENT OF MAN	2:30 P.M.
	German Genealogy	7:30 P.M.
Mon. 24	Mental Health Series SHIFTING GEARS IN THE MIDDLE YEARS	7:30 P.M.
Tues. 25	Health Dept. Lecture HOW TO SELECT A NURSING HOME	7 P.M.
Wed. 26	Film-THE ASCENT OF MAN	2:30 P.M.
APRIL		
Wed. 2	Film-THE ASCENT OF MAN	2:30 P.M.
	Mental Health Series AGING IN ONESELF & OTHERS	7:30 P.M.
Mon. 7	Make Today Count	7 P.M.
Tues. 8	Travelog--Italy	7:30 P.M.
Wed. 9	Film-THE ASCENT OF MAN	2:30 P.M.
	Health Dept. Lecture THE PROSTATE	7 P.M.
Fri. 11	Book Discussion	10 A.M.
Sun. 13	Book Review THE SEARCHING SPIRIT	2:30 P.M.
Mon. 14	Book Review THE SEARCHING SPIRIT	7:30 P.M.
Wed. 16	Film-THE ASCENT OF MAN	2:30 P.M.
Tues. 22	Health Dept. Lecture UTERINE CANCER	7:30 P.M.
Wed. 23	Film-THE ASCENT OF MAN	2:30 P.M.
	Lecture-WRITING IN FREE-LANCE MARKETS	7:30 P.M.
Wed. 30	Film-THE ASCENT OF MAN	2:30 P.M.
MAY		
Mon. 5	Make Today Count	7 P.M.
Wed. 7	Film-THE ASCENT OF MAN	2:30 P.M.
	Health Dept. Lecture VEGETARIANISM	7:30 P.M.
Fri. 9	Book Discussion	10 A.M.
Mon. 12	Book Review AUNT ERMA'S COPE BOOK	2:30 & 7:30 P.M.
Tues. 13	Travelog-Guatemala	7:30 P.M.
Wed. 14	Film-THE ASCENT OF MAN	2:30 P.M.
Thurs. 15	Health Dept. Lecture BREAST CANCER	7:30 P.M.
Wed. 21 & 28	Film-THE ASCENT OF MAN	2:30 P.M.
Thurs. 29	Health Dept. Lecture CHIROPRACTIC CARE	7:30 P.M.

FROM THE LIBRARIAN'S DESK. . . . .

People ask me from time to time about the completion date for the addition to the Library, and my response has always been that I didn't know. However, it seems safe now to assume that it will be completed by June, and we are eagerly looking forward to that time.

One of the special features of the addition will be the local history room which will house and make available to patrons all kinds of printed materials relating to the history of Morton Grove and the area. We have recently hired a staff member whose sole responsibility is to organize, catalog and index the materials we already have. We welcome the donation of any additional materials you or your families may wish to make. This collection will be invaluable to future students and researchers, as well as genealogists and interested citizens.

The Lions Club gift of equipment for a special room has given great impetus to the Library's program of service to the visually handicapped. Another gift, this from the children of one of our most active blind patrons who died recently, will add greater depth to that service. They donated her Perkins Brailler, her pocket Braille writer, and her Braille stylus, all of which will be available to those who need them.

It is no wonder, then, that those of us connected with the Library await the completion of the addition with high expectations.

Joan G Stewart

NEW STAFF MEMBER

We are happy to announce the appointment of Sharron McCoy to the position of Reference Librarian. She comes from the Evanston Public Library where she worked over a period of nine years. Her experience also includes three years in the University of Michigan Law Library and a year at the Northwestern University Library. She received her undergraduate degree from Indiana University with a major in Russian language and literature and her Master's degree in Library Science from Rosary College.

She will be on duty in the Reference Room to answer your questions.

MENTAL HEALTH SERIES

Today's crisis is often tomorrow's mental health problem. We live in such a state of stress today that we often need advice and counseling to help us cope with life.

The Library will present a series of discussions on various stages of adulthood by qualified counselors from Orchard Mental Health Center. On Monday, March 10 at 7:30, Olga Kreisberg will discuss THE YOUNG ADULT and his/her struggles to be financially and emotionally independent from parents.

Carol Zimbelman will analyze THE MYTHS OF MARRIAGE on Monday, March 17 at 7:30, relating the normal problems and pitfalls of the marital state.

On Monday, March 24 at 7:30, Olga Kreisberg will speak on SHIFTING GEARS IN THE MIDDLE YEARS--ASCENT OR DESCENT? On Wed., April 2 at 7:30, Katherine Austin will discuss AGING IN ONESELF AND OTHERS, including the difficulties of caring for elderly parents.

These illuminating discussions will benefit all ages and everyone is welcome to attend.

FREELANCE WRITING LECTURE

Are you a school teacher who would like to earn extra money during your summer vacations? Are you an engineer, carpenter, fire chief or business executive who would like to turn your spare hours into profit?

According to writer Jerrold Kellman, if you have expertise or practical knowledge in any number of technical areas, you may be able to write, and get paid for, informative articles for publication.

Mr. Kellman will speak at the Library on Wed., April 23 at 7:30 P.M. on WRITING IN FREELANCE MARKETS. He has produced "A Writer's Guide to Chicago-Area Publishers" and is editor-in-chief of Consumer Guide Magazine. He has spoken in many North Shore communities, helping people find ways to market their books and articles.

MAKE TODAY COUNT

The Morton Grove MAKE TODAY COUNT will meet on Monday, March 3 at 7:30 P.M. at the Library. MAKE TODAY COUNT is a self-help organization for individuals who have cancer or who are close to someone who does. The group meets on the first Monday evening of each month for an open discussion of the problems of living with cancer. For information, call 492-7593.

HEALTH SERIES

The Morton Grove Health Dept. will present a series of health programs at the Library throughout the Spring, concerning both men and women.

HOW TO SELECT A NURSING HOME will be discussed on Tuesday, Mar. 25 at 7 P.M. with Mr. Richard Waltmire, Director of Bethany Nursing Home in Morton Grove, as speaker.

Dr. Romero Prudencio from Lutheran General Hospital will speak on THE PROSTATE on Wednesday, April 9 at 7 P.M.

UTERINE AND RELATED CANCERS will be discussed on Tuesday, April 22 at 7:30 P.M. by Dr. Alan Green from Lutheran General Hospital.

On Wednesday, May 7 at 7:30 P.M. Jacqueline Marcus from Skokie Valley Hospital will discuss VEGETARIANISM and on Thursday, May 15 at 7:30 Dr. Bernard Abrams will speak on BREAST CANCER.

The series will conclude with a lecture on CHIROPRACTIC CARE by Dr. Lawrence Levin on Thursday, May 29 at 7:30 P.M. We hope that Morton Grove residents and their families will avail themselves of these fine health programs.

THE ASCENT OF MAN FILM SERIES

The powerful and beautiful film series THE ASCENT OF MAN will be presented at the Library on Wed. afternoons at 2:30 P.M. beginning on March 5 and ending on May 28.

The brilliant and articulate scholar, Dr. Jacob Bronowski, charts man's progress from animal to inventor and shows how man's environment has been changed by him through his reason, his imagination, and his emotions.

A breathtaking journey for anyone interested in man and nature, THE ASCENT OF MAN is our film presentation for Spring--come and enjoy it!

FRIENDS OF THE MORTON GROVE LIBRARY

The Friends of the Morton Grove Public Library are alive and well after a brief spell of inactivity.

On March 9, the FRIENDS will be helping at the Library by serving refreshments after the debate on Home Rule.

On April 28 at 7:30 P.M. the FRIENDS will hold an open meeting and everyone is invited to attend. New officers for 1980 will be elected and there will be a tour of the addition, which is in the final stages of construction. Refreshments will be served.

One of the FRIENDS' goals for this year will be to try to locate new people in the community and make them aware of the marvelous benefits to be gained by becoming a regular patron of the Morton Grove Public Library.

Please call Beverly Copeland at 967-8433 if you know of any new residents and come and join the FRIENDS at the April meeting!

A N N O U N C E M E N T S

We would like to remind you of the VITAL HISTORY CASSETTES which are a great resource for current history study and are catalogued in the card catalogue. They are arranged by date from 1974 to 1979.

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Don't forget BOOK DISCUSSION on the second Friday of every month at 10 A.M!

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Several months ago a watch and ring were found at the Library. We would like to find the owners! Please call 965-4220.

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